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PARTING SHOTS.

Closing Day of the London Shooting Tournament.

Skating Championship of Ontario—A Challenge—General Sporting News.

The Windsor delegation of shooters who have been attending the London tournament returned yesterday well satisfied with the showing they made. A grand international tournament will be held in Windsor in May.

The Peninsular Game Club waited on the Lincoln County Council on Thursday, asking them to pass a bylaw protecting game

THE TRIGGER.

EVENT NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

For the championship diamond medal, value $100 — Entrance, $3 (including targets), open to Canadians only, for the championship of Canada; 50 Keystones from 5 unknown traps, ties to be shot off at 5 birds from 5 unknown traps.

The contest for the ownership of this medal was very keen. Until the last ten birds were shot off it was thought that it would be worn by J. R. Jaynes, of this city, but his unfortunate miss of four birds in this number decided against him.

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THE TURF.

The second annual meeting of the Canadian Coach Horse Breeders' Association was held in this city yesterday, President O. Wilson, of Paris, being in the chair. Among the other business transacted was the adoption of a new standard for registration in the Canadian Coach Horse Stud Book. The offspring of a coach horse and two removes from a blood mare was also made eligible for registration. It was agreed that the association shall give $50 in two prizes for the best 3-year-old and upwards animals registered in the book at the Spring Live Stock Show in Toronto on March 11. The following officers were elected for another year: O. Wilson, president; Frank Shore, vice-president; Joseph Mitchell, secretary-treasurer; Messrs. W. M. Ardiel (London), Thomas Taylor (Milverton), Shaw and Heize, directors; the president and Messrs. D. Fischer and Thomas Shaw, executive committee.

PEDESTRIANISM.

The entries for the great six days' go-as-you-please match which will take place at Madison Square Garden during the week commencing March 15, have already begun to come in. Several business men have hired the garden from March 15 to 22 at a cost of $15,000. Prizes will be given ranging from $5,000 down, aggregating $10,000.

THE RING.

The backers of Billy Lavine, of Saginaw, Mich., and Harry Gilmore each posted $100 as a forfeit on Friday for a match between the lightweights for $1,000 side, to take place May 1.

Jake Kilrain and George Godfrey signed articles at San Francisco, Thursday, to fight to a finish on March 14.

CURLING.

The tankard match in group nine between Prospect Park and Scarboro could not be played Friday on account of the thaw.

SKATING.

John Graham, of Fergus, issues the following challenge: In order to settle the skating championship of Ontario, I will skate any man in this Province five miles for $200 a side, the race to take place in a rink in Fergus or Toronto. If skated here a reasonable allowance will be made for expenses. Race to take place between now and Feb. 21. Money may be placed in the hands of the sporting editor of the Globe.

FOOTBALL.

The Executive of the Ontario Rugby Union met on Saturday afternoon at Toronto. The president, A. J. Boyd, presided, and delegates were present from the following clubs: London, Hamilton, Queen's (Toronto), 'Varsity, Ottawa, Stratford, Trinity, Ontario (Hamilton), Sarnia, Osgoode Hall, Varsity second. A number of changes were made in the rules of the union. The date of the annual meeting was changed to the second Saturday in December. The time was shortened for notice of alterations of rules and for calling meeting of the executive and union. Goal posts were raised from 13 to 20 feet. It was decided that a match shall be won in future by simple majority of points instead of by not less than two. A new definition of a scrimmage was made, making penal lying on the ball. Field captains were abolished as being unnecessary. The following officers were elected: President, T. H. Stinson, Hamilton; first vice, Edward Bayly, Toronto; second vice, W. Plunkett Taylor, Ottawa; secretary-treasurer, J. F. Smillie, Osgoode Hall; committee, W. Logie, Hamilton; E. C. Senkier, Osgoode Hall; W. H. Bunting, 'Varsity; A. J. Boyd, Toronto; W. McEwan, Stratford; H. B. Cronyn, London; W. Marquis, Queen's. The meeting adjourned till April 25.

Sufferers from coughs, colds, bronchitis, croup, influenza, or whooping cough, will find relief in DR. WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY, which has now been in use for nearly half a century, and still maintains its long-established reputation as the best remedy for all diseases of the throat, lungs and chest.

Every housekeeper should use Strong's Baking Powder. Test its merit by securing a free sample package at Strong's Drug Store, 184 Dundas street. This powder is sold at 25 cents per pound, and is unequaled in purity and strength. 24-tf

THE MERCHANTS' GRIEVANCE.

How the Creditor Owing a Small Account Eludes Payment.

The Board of Trade Will Memoralize the Ontario Legislature Respecting an Amendment to the Division Courts Jurisdiction.

The inconveniences that merchants meet with in the collection of their small outstanding debts was the subject that occupied the attention of the members of the Board of Trade Friday night. The subject had been handled previously, so that nearly all were conversant with the question when the report of the committee appointed last March to draft a memorial to the Legislature of Ontario was presented. The memorial dealt with section 81 of the Division Courts Act, which it was proposed to amend as follows:

That whereas the existing statute governing the jurisdiction as to place of trial of claims within the jurisdiction of the division courts in the Province of Ontario (section 81, Division Courts Act), is the cause of great loss and inconvenience to the members of this Board, and to the commercial, manufacturing and banking interests generally, in consequence of the provisions of the said statute being such that a large proportion of such suits must be entered in the division in which the defendant resides, and consequently at a distance from the plaintiff's place of business:

And whereas the said statute is most unjust to the aforesaid interests, upon the following grounds: 1. It may fairly be presumed that, with rare exceptions, claims entered for suit are for debts justly due; therefore—2. The law should be such that debts justly due can be collected with the least possible expense and inconvenience to the plaintiff. 3. It is the experience of every person having much business with the Division Courts that in a large proportion of suits in which defenses are entered, there is no meritorious defense whatever to the action, the defenses being entered in such cases merely for the purpose of delaying the entry of judgment. The result is that plaintiffs are compelled to travel all over the Province in order to prove their claims at the sittings of the courts, at a great and unnecessary expenditure of time and money, only to find in most cases that the defendant does not appear at all at the trial. 4. As a considerable percentage of Division Court judgments prove worthless, the expense of obtaining judgment is frequently a total loss, which makes the statute aforesaid and the traveling and other expenses necessitated by it particularly oppressive. 5. As the direct consequence of the expense and loss of time in making collections under this statute, creditors to a large extent refrain from suing, and an enormous number of small debts are thus allowed to run until they become outlawed, and are, therefore, totally lost. 6. It is practically impossible for men in charge of large business concerns to travel about the country to look after small suits; yet they are obliged to chose between that and losing them altogether. On the other hand it is no great hardship to the average defendant—probably not more than once in a lifetime—to be obliged to attend a distant court, for if he has a good defense he will be entitled to be paid his expenses and witness fees for so attending.

Therefore, be it resolved, that in the opinion of this Board it is expedient that the law should be so amended that actions may be brought in the division in which the plaintiff's place of business or residence is situate at the time the cause of action arises, and that the breach of any contract, verbal or written, shall constitute the whole cause of action, and that suit may be brought in the division in which such breach of contract occurs.

And in order that no injustice may be done the defendant in any case, it is expedient that the provisions of section 86 of the Divisions Courts Act, under which the defendant may apply to the judge for a change of venue when the claim exceeds $100, should be extended to every class of suits, but with the additional provision that the change of the place of trial shall be in the discretion of the judge to whom the application is made.

And be it resolved, that this Board humbly petitions the Government of the Province of Ontario to bring in a bill at the session of the Legislature of 1891, embodying the changes suggested in the foregoing resolution, and that the secretary of this Board do forthwith forward a copy of this resolution to the honorable the Provincial Secretary of the Province of Ontario.

The report was adopted on motion of Mr. W. J. Reid.

It was also decided that the secretary should send copies of the memorial to the several Boards of Trade in the Province in the hope that they may join in the petition to the Legislature.

TRADE WITH THE WEST INDIES.

The following communication from Traffic Manager Knott, of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company, addressed to Mayor Taylor, was then presented for the consideration of the Board:

Will you kindly advise me whether there is any traffic at the present time between your city and the West Indies or Central America, and if so what is the nature of the commodity you ship? If on the other hand you are now endeavoring to open up a trade we shall be glad to do what we can to aid you, and on your advising me of the character of goods you propose to export or import will be glad to name you rates from Cleveland to Pensacola and vice versa, and will obtain rates for the ocean voyage, or put you in communication with reliable steamship lines out of Pensacola that will give you freights out of Pensacola, desirable markets, etc. Yours truly,

STUART R. KNOTT, Traffic Manager.

The communication was referred to the Railway Committee to act in conjunction with Mayor Taylor. The committee will return all the information available respecting the city's shipping importance and ascertain what benefits would accrue from the opening up of such trade.

TID-BITS.

Mr. Samuel Grigg's name was struck off the membership roll at his request.

In the absence of President Marsh the chair was occupied by Mr. John Campbell.

Among those present were Messrs. John Campbell, J. S. Pearce, S. F. Glass, O. E. Brener, John Cameron, W. J. Craig, C. F. Colwell, Samuel Stevely, A. M. Smith and Secretary Nelles.

CHOLERA'S VICTIMS.

Fifteen Hundred Deaths in Six Weeks.

BELOIT, Wis., Jan. 31.—A letter from the family of Rev. T. D. Christie, who left Beloit recently to resume missionary work at Marash, Turkey in Asia, tells of the terrible cholera scourge in Turkey. At Marash, a town of 10,000 people, 1,500 deaths occurred in six weeks. There was much less fatality among the converted than among the natives, their civilization helping them in their sanitary affairs.

—Hotel proprietors know that next to having a good house and managing it properly, nothing plays so important a part in the success of a hotel as advertising. It is, in fact, the life of the concern. What avails the most palatial establishment if the world is not aware of its existence? Or how are its advantages to be made known? There is only one sure way: advertise. Just as sure as competition is the life of trade, just so sure is advertising the life of competition.

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An Anachronism.

When pressed in Bosworth's classic glen,
King Richard shouted to his men,
"A pen, my kingdom for a pen,"
Rose Esterbrook responsive then,
"Take from this box a Falcon Pen,"
And "Richard was himself again."

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has done once it will do again.

WESTERN ONTARIO.

Archbishop Magee, of York, Eng., is a nephew of the Rev. M. Ker, D.D., of Old Niagara.

The people of Forest are bound to discover natural gas, and have subscribed $2,200 for that purpose. A test well will be sunk at once.

Wm. Coleman met with a painful accident in the Imperial Oil Company's stave works, Petrolea, the other day, by getting his hand in too close contact with a circular saw.

Elijah Easman, of con. 4, Warwick, fell from a ladder the other day while fixing an eavestrough on his barn and was instantly killed, having struck the stone bridge in front of the door.

A silver watch and guard, together with a very flattering address, was recently presented to Mr. James Crafts for his services at superintendent of the Methodist Sunday school at Dawn Mills.

Mr. John Brown, residing near Wallacetown, West Elgin, while out chopping in the woods the other day fell and dislocated his shoulder. As Mr. Brown is nearly 80 years old, the accident is serious.

Rev. A. W. Macnab, of St. Catharines, has signified his intention of accepting a new parish in Omaha, Nebraska. He will take leave of absence for a year before absolutely resigning his charge in St. Catharines.

The vestry room in the rear of the Walkerville Catholic Church caught fire on Friday and the building was damaged to the extent of $300. Only the hard work of the Walkerville fire brigade saved the building.

Daniel Campbell, of Adelaide, was badly smashed by the breaking of supports on a load of wood he was taking to Strathroy. Although an arm and a leg were fractured, and other severe injuries received, he will recover.

Mr. T. T. Smith, of Smith Bros., woolen manufacturers, of Sarnia, Ont., had two of the fingers of his right hand taken off Friday morning while attempting to slip one of the squaring chains into its place on a spinning mule when the machine was in motion.

A public school trial was held one evening lately, when Miss Porter, principal of the Strabane school, was charged before Magistrate Ross by Mr. Frank Roberts with whipping one of his boys with a rawhide in such a manner as to leave marks upon him; but it came out in the evidence that the boy deserved all he got.

John Bryans, a farmer on the London road, about three miles from St. Marys, found four of his best sheep missing and a trail of blood leading to St. Marys. He followed the tracks to a house in the West ward, occupied by one Michael Handerhan, and from thence through town to the residence of George Crandon. The police were notified and the houses searched. Two partially-dressed carcases were found in each house, and Crandon was arrested in bed. Handerhan has not been captured.

The newly-elected officers of the South Oxford Agricultural Society are: President, John Rock; first vice-president, William Collyer; second vice-president, L. A. Price; directors, Thomas Prouse, B. W. Collver, E. Monk, W. J. Bigham, G. H. Cook, W. S. Law, Chas. Thompson, W. E. Ferguson, Wm. McMurray; auditors, M. Durkee and W. F. Kay. At a subsequent meeting of the directors Alex. McFarlane was elected secretary-treasurer. Wm. Collyer and G. H. Cook were appointed representatives to the Western Fair Association.

Perth County Council

The first meeting of the Perth County Council closed Friday. Mr. John Schaefer, reeve of South Easthorpe was elected warden for 1891, the other officers being William Davidson, clerk; Andrew Monteith, treasurer; James Jones and G. G. Ewart, auditors. A memorial was prepared by a special committee setting forth the absolute necessity of amending and simplifying the Drainage Act and the Ditches and Watercourses Act, and after being adopted by the Council was ordered to be transmitted to the Local Legislature. In response to a telegram from the Huron County Council, it was decided to co-operate with them in memorializing the Government to ask for the appointment of a commissioner to regulate traffic, etc., on railways. The question of dispensing with the December session on the ground of economy was debated and laid over.

Chatham.

Do not forget that "Jim the Penman" appears at the Grand this (Monday) evening.

Mr. A. Glassford's residence, Dover, was burned on Tuesday. Most of the contents were consumed.

Mr. Chas. Bagwell had a social gathering of his Bible class in the Park Street Church on Thursday. A good time and a splendid programme were indulged in by all present.

United States Consul Webster had the American flag at half-mast on Friday owing to the death of Secretary Windom.

Walter Paulucciv and Harry Ball were each fined $1 and $2 25 costs for indulging in a fight.

The proprietors of the Garner were each fined $20 and costs for selling liquor during prohibited hours.

Philip Murphy, of East Tilbury, was up last Friday for selling liquor without a license and fined $50.

Aylmer.

Meeting of Town Council Monday evening. It is likely the firemen's bylaw will receive consideration.

Dr. Pascoe filled his pulpit at the Methodist Church yesterday, his many friends being glad to see him around after his suffering with la grippe.

On Friday evening the Chapter was favored with a visit from Tilsonburg brethren. They had a good social time.

The Aylmer Turf Club held a meeting in the Town Hall when the election of officers for the ensuing season took place. J. J. Nairn, president; Dr. Olle, vice-president; George Wiano, secretary; Gus Leslie, treasurer, T. Donley, A. Pearce, W. Stevens, J. Moro and M. Turrill, directors. Meeting adjourned and directors' meeting followed. Secretary was instructed to confer with secretary of circuit meetings in order that date might be fixed to follow St. Thomas meeting.

Squire Glover is suffering from a severe attack of la grippe.

Delaware Council.

The first meeting of the 42nd Council was held in the Town Hall, village of Delaware, at 11 a.m. on Monday. Present: John McFarlane, reeve; J. J. Uptigrove, councilor ward 1; Henry Garnett, councilor ward 2; Wm. Scott, councilor ward 3; Stephen Weld, councilor ward 4. After subscribing to the declarations The reeve appointed R. Gibson and the council appointed J. R. Hammond as auditors. The clerk was instructed to get 200 copies of the auditors' report printed for distribution by Feb. 23. A petition was presented by A. Hotham asking assistance for L. Cudney. The petition was received and $2 per week was granted until next regular meeting, the commissioner of the ward to have control of the same; $2 was also voted Mrs. Robert Scott for furnishing board and lodging to a poor indigent carried into her home in an apopletic fit. D. Ryckliman was heard before the council respecting damages claimed to have been done his property by the change made in the road on con. 4. The council, after carfully considering the matter, did non consider the township in any way liable, but owing to the bad state of the road voted the sum of $25 to Mr. Ryckliman to expend in graveling it under the supervision of the commissioner of the ward. The clerk was instructed to notify Messrs. Bell and Campbell to proceed at once and get bills printed re the letting of Goverment drain No. 1. Messrs. Doyle and Ireland were heard before the council respecting road allowance at the west end of base line and also the Commissioners' road. The clerk was instructed to notify John McEwen to appear at next meeting of the council and show cause why the said road allowance should not be opened. Moved by W. Scott and seconded by H. Garnett that the office of assessor be declared vacant. Carried. On motion the salary was fixed by bylaw at $30 and H. J. Smith appointed, roll to be returned by March 10, 1891. The collector returned his roll, which was on motion, accepted. The following orders were drawn on the treasurer: James Harris, remuneration as dog tax, $1; R. Piper, for gravel, $25 20; H. Poole, for gavel, $4 20; W. C. Harris, municipal election expence, 1891, $28 75; W. C. Harris, preparing inspector's report, $2; Mrs. R. Scott, board and lodging furnished a tramp, $2; W. C. Harris, registration fees, $5 20; J. McGugan, repairing bridge, $7; J. Weld, $7 60; R. Southam, $17; Ferguson Bros., lumber, $12 81; Meredith, Fisher & Beattie, $44; Joseph Howlett, collector's salary, $45; Bell & Campbell, professional services No. 1 drain, $125 25; total, $327 01. The council adjourned to meet Feb. 23, 1891.

Vanneck.

Mrs. A. C. Attwood, of Vanneck, has gone to Glencoe, to wait upon Miss Elena, the teacher, who is now down very sick with the measles.

Ilderton Lodge, A.O.U.W., is making preparations for a grand oyster supper on the evening of Feb. 10.

The annual wood bee for the widow of the late J. T. Dinsmore was fairly well attended by his brother Masons and Workmen. Brothers of other lodges go and do likewise, relieve the widow and fatherless.

Raper Methodist Church.

The annual tea meeting in connection with the Raper Methodist Church was held on Monday, Jan. 26. The well-earned fame of previous tea meetings drew not only crowds from the vicinity, but also large numbers from Delaware, Mount Brydges and London. Tea was served from 6 to 9 o'clock, during which time three large tables were filled several times with tempting edibles, such as celery, sandwiches, fruit, cake, Devonshire cream and apple pie, which the crowd (about 400 in number) did ample justice to. In the skillful hands of Rev. Mr. McIntyre, pastor of the Delaware Presbyterian Church, the programme was successfully carried out. It consisted of addresses by Rev. Mr. Mason and Mrs. Mason, of Muncey, and Rev. Messrs. Hazen and Ford, pastors of the church, interspersed with recitations and readings. The North Street Methodist choir rendered a number of excellent pieces of music. Shortly after supper the young people from London grew restless, and after leaving the church, created such a noise as to disturb both speakers and audience. The handsome amount of $103 was realized.

TORONTO LETTER.

Sudden Death in the Opera House—A Fatal Fall—The Lash Applied.

TORONTO, Monday, Feb. 2.

Mr. Wm. Briscoe, aged 70, a carriage-builder, who lived at 151 Spadina avenue, was attending Prof. Bristol's horse show at the Grand Opera House Saturday afternoon with his young nephew when he was suddenly taken ill and died within a few minutes from heart disease.

Mr. Gilbert Lockhart, of the Bank of Montreal, son of Mr. Lockhart, of Lockhart, Milichamps & Co., fell from a window of his father's house at 240 College street about 1 o'clock yesterday morning, fracturing his skull and died instantly.

The second annual convention of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew's in Canada will begin on Saturday evening, Feb. 7, by a meeting in St. James' Cathedral school house, when the inaugural address and report of council will be given and other general business transacted.

At the morning service yesterday at Bond Street Church Dr. Wild took for his subject the recent lecture of "Christianity and Some of Its Evidences" by the Hon. O. Mowat. His text was Proverbs, xxii., 20, 21. The doctor spoke in the most eulogistic terms of the manner in which the subject was handled, and asserted that, in his opinion, there was sufficient evidence in it to refute all the arguments of all the agnostics in the Dominion. He thought the pamphlet would prove of inestimable value to seekers after truth inasmuch as it is the utterance of one who has had a judicial mental training of over 40 years. Judicious extracts were read from the lecture, and the strength and appositeness of the arguments and conclusions were heartily approved.

A middle-aged man named William Irwin, who has for the last six months been a patient at the General Hospital, died suddenly either while being removed to or immediately after his arrival at the Home for Incurables on Saturday afternoon. He was admitted to the General Hospital on July 29. The patient was suffering from lupus in an advanced stage. He was kept under treatment until the physicians found that it would be absolutely impossible to effect a cure. There was some doubt as to the disease being really lupus, and in order to decide this question an injection of the Koch lymph was resorted to. This experiment proved beyond a doubt that the disease was lupus. It was not until Saturday morning that the authorities at the Home for Incurables were prepared to receive him. A spring mattress was placed in the conveyance so as to carry the sufferer as smoothly as possible. When a short distance from the home Mr. Geddes, the ambulance driver, learned from the accompanying student that the patient was doing well, but as soon as the stretcher had been placed inside the home it was found that Irwin was dead and growing cold. It is not known whether the man died in the ambulance or not.

TELEGRAMS IN A NUTSHELL.

Mrs. Jefferson Davis is suffering from heart disease.

Owing to the deadlock in the Kingston (Ont.) City Council the treasury has run dry.

The United States Senate has adjourned as a mark of respect to the late Secretary Windom.

Quebec is making big offers of facilities to outbid Three Rivers' attempt to get the cattle business from Montreal.

Mr. Xavier Lahaie, merchant, of L'Ange Gardien, fell from a load of logs and injured his spine. He died after suffering great pain.

The Minister of Marine has authorized a public presentation of a fine silver watch to Mr. Funnel of Gananoque for bravery in saving life.

It is understood that the Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs has decided to allow some of the Thousand Islands to be put up for sale.

The Duchess of Edinburgh is winning golden opinions at Devonport by her kindness to the families of the seamen who were lost in the Serpent.

The case of Dr. Charles Brant at Belleville, Ont., charged with bigamy, was tried before Judge Lazier Friday afternoon. Counsel stated that his client was unable to appear on account of illness. Bail was estreated, as it was believed Brant was not in Deseronto at all and had left the country.

W. Lawrence, awaiting sentence at Simcoe for housebreaking, pending inquiries as to his antecedents, had indirectly laid himself open to another charge. The police searched the man's home and found a copy of the Revised Criminal Law of Ontario, which bears the name of a well-known Q.C. on the edges of the pages, viz., "John Crerar."

An Orillia (Ont.) telegram says: "At Benson Hall, on the Rama reserve, two Indians named John Wesley and James Naniguishkong, were presented with Royal Humane Society medals for saving the life of James Jackson in March last. Mr. Jackson fell through the rotton ice at the Narrows, and the Indians rescued him at great risk to themselves."

No Decision or Dissolution.

A special to the London Free Press says "it was generally expected that a decision would have been reached Saturday with respect to dissolution, but the Cabinet Council adjourned at 6 o'clock without making any announcement on the subject."

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A Greeting from the Countess of Aberdeen.

Haddo House, Aberdeen, Scotland, Dec. 1, 1890.

Lady Aberdeen begs to congratulate Mrs. Cameron most sincerely on the high promise of the new venture, and will be much obliged if she will direct that two copies should be sent to her at the above address every month. Lady Aberdeen hopes that Mrs Cameron will not mind her making some extracts from "Wives and Daughters" for a little magazine which she herself is editing in connection with a Young Women's Christian Association in Scotland.

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Statutory Declaration, Rev. Stat. Can. 1886.

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